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PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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DAHEJ LNG TERMINAL
SURESH KURUP

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the present status of Dahej LNG terminal project;

(b) whether any study has been done on its feasibility; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN)

(a) Dahej LNG terminal is 98% complete and will be mechanically completed by the end of December 2003.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The detailed feasibility report was prepared by M/s Sofregaz of France who are one of the leading consultants in the field of LNG. The project was found techno-economically feasible. By the execution of this project the gap between supply and demand of natural gas will reduce.